



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 291

LCO No. 1282



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
(PS)

AN ACT CONCERNING CRANE OPERATIONS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 29-223 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) The board shall keep a record of its proceedings and a roster of
4 persons licensed or registered by it. The commissioner shall, with the
5 advice and assistance of the board, adopt regulations, in accordance
6 with chapter 54, for crane operators and hoisting equipment operators,
7 specifying qualifications for applicants for licensure, requirements for
8 examinations, procedures for issuance and renewal of licenses and
9 certificates of registration and examination and application fees
10 sufficient to meet the costs of administration of this chapter. The board
11 shall administer and establish passing grades for licensure
12 examinations. The board shall hold examinations at times and
13 locations determined by the board and shall give written notice to
14 applicants for examination of the time and place of examinations.
15 Examinations may be written or practical or both.

16 [(b) Prior to October 1, 2014, the board may develop and administer
17 written and practical examinations for, and issue licenses to, operators
18 of cranes as defined in section 29-221, as amended by section 2 of
19 public act 12-99, including cranes which have a manufacturer's rated
20 hoisting or lifting capacity exceeding two thousand pounds but not
21 exceeding ten thousand pounds. The provisions of this subsection shall
22 not be construed to eliminate the licensure requirements in effect prior
23 to October 1, 2014, for operators of cranes or hoisting equipment, as
24 those terms are defined in section 29-221.]

25 [(c)] (b) The board shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the
26 provisions of chapter 54, establishing a safety code for the operation
27 and maintenance of cranes and hoisting equipment.

28 Sec. 2. Sections 2, 3, 6, 8 and 10 of public act 12-99 are repealed.
29 (*Effective from passage*)

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	29-223
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	Repealer section

Statement of Purpose:

To repeal certain provisions of the general statutes concerning cranes while federal standards are being reconsidered.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]